

TIGERS CINCH FLAG IN AMERICAN LEAGUE

Chicago Boosts Detroit Into Its Third Championship by Defeating Athletics, Thus Ending Heart-Breaking Struggle.

(Special to The Times-Dispatch.)
PHILADELPHIA, Pa., September 30.—No matter what happens in the few remaining days of the season, the 1909 pennant goes to Detroit. The Tigers virtually clinched the championship on Wednesday to-day after a double-header with the Athletics. Mental and physical mistakes were the chief causes of the double reversal. The strain of the championship has been too much for the Athletics, and they are suffering a natural reaction.

The opening game was most ably played. Dygert pitched well enough to win, but received incompetent support. A consistent and conscientious manager was given, who covered left field. Jackson muffed two fly balls and misjudged another that gave the Sox an undesired double. Sox was hit freely by the Mackmen, but they could not overcome the lead Sox acquired.

The second game was a little harder fought, the visitors getting the decision by driving Krause from the tee in the third inning. They scored four runs in a lump, and Combs, who followed Krause, was some improvement.

LAST HOPE VANISHES

PHILADELPHIA, Pa., September 30.—The American League championship was decided in favor of Detroit, when Chicago defeated Philadelphia in both games of a double-header here this afternoon. Philadelphia played poorly in both games. In the first contest, Dygert was hit hard and he was very wild, while his team was charged with errors. In the second game, Chicago knocked Krause off the rubber in three innings and also landed on Combs's curves at the right time. The scores:

Philadelphia	A. B. H. O. A. E.
Rath, ss.	5 0 0 1 2
O'Driscoll, cf.	5 0 0 0 0
Collins, 2b.	5 1 0 4 1
Baker, 3b.	1 0 0 0 0
Davis, 1b.	4 0 10 0 0
Murphy, rf.	4 2 0 0 0
Jackson, lf.	3 2 0 0 0
Lapp, c.	3 2 0 0 0
Dygert, p.	2 0 0 5 1
Hartsell, p.	1 0 0 0 0
Totals	33 7 13 5

Chicago	A. B. H. O. A. E.
Messenger, rf.	3 1 1 0 0
Altizer, 1b.	3 12 0 0 0
Doyle, 2b.	3 1 0 0 0
Purcell, 3b.	4 1 0 0 0
Parent, ss.	0 0 2 1 3
Tannehill, 1b.	4 1 0 0 0
Payne, c.	4 1 0 0 0
Scott, p.	5 0 0 0 0
Totals	32 9 17 3

*Batted for Dygert in ninth.
Score by Innings: 0 0 0 0 1 2 3 4 5 6 7 8 9
Philadelphia 0 0 0 0 1 0 1 1 1 1 1 1 1
Chicago 0 0 0 0 1 0 1 1 1 1 1 1 1

Summary: Runs—Collins, Baker, Jackson, Messenger (2), Altizer, Cole, Purcell (2), Parent (2), Tannehill, Tannehill, Lapp, Three-base hits—Baker, Tannehill, Murphy, Sacrifice hits—Doyle, Tannehill, Tannehill. Double plays—Messenger and Payne; Rath and Davis. Struck out—by Dygert, 7; by Hartsell, 2. Philadelphia: 9. Chicago: 10. First base on balls—off Dygert, 7; off Scott, 4. First base on errors—Philadelphia: 2; Chicago: 3. Hit by pitcher—by Scott, 2 (Rath, 2). Wild pitch—by Scott, 2. Umpires, Sheridan and Kerin.

Philadelphia	A. B. H. O. A. E.
Helmholtz, lf.	3 0 1 0 0
O'Driscoll, cf.	4 1 1 0 0
Collins, 2b.	3 1 1 0 0
Baker, 3b.	3 1 1 0 0
Davis, 1b.	4 1 0 0 0
Murphy, rf.	3 0 0 0 0
Jackson, lf.	3 0 0 0 0
Lapp, c.	4 1 0 0 0
Krause, p.	0 0 0 0 0
McConnell, p.	1 0 0 0 0
Jackson, p.	1 0 0 0 0
Totals	31 6 27 17 3

Chicago	A. B. H. O. A. E.
Barrows, lf.	5 0 0 0 0
Altizer, 1b.	5 2 1 0 0
Cole, cf.	5 2 2 0 0
Atz, rf.	5 1 3 1 1
Purcell, 2b.	4 2 1 0 0
Parent, ss.	4 2 1 0 0
Tannehill, 1b.	4 0 2 1 1
Owens, c.	3 2 0 0 0
Burns, p.	2 0 0 0 0
Totals	38 12 27 18 3

*Batted for Krause in third.
Score by Innings: 0 0 0 0 2 0 0 0 0 1 0 0 0
Philadelphia 0 0 0 0 2 0 0 0 0 1 0 0 0
Chicago 0 0 0 0 2 0 0 0 0 1 0 0 0
Summary: Runs—Doyle, Altizer, Parent, Owens, Burns, Hits—off Krause, 3 in 3 innings; off Combs, 2 in 3 innings. Two-base hits—Lapp, Altizer, Three-base hit—O'Driscoll. Double plays—McConnell, Collins and Davis; Tannehill, Purcell and Lapp. Struck out—by Krause, 1; by Combs, 3; by Burns, 1. Left on bases—Philadelphia, 4; Chicago, 10. First base on balls—off Krause, 4; off Burns, 3. Hit by pitcher—by Krause, 1; by Burns, 1. Wild pitches—Burns, Combs, Time, 1:45. Umpires, Sheridan and Kerin.

Football Player's Leg Broken.
(Special to The Times-Dispatch.)
HAMPTON, Va., September 30.—The first football accident of the season on the Peninsula occurred at Fort Monroe this afternoon, when E. M. Terry, right half back on the fort eleven, had his left leg broken by a blow from the right leg of a player from the Virginia team. Terry was engaged in practice work, and several other artillerymen fell upon him in a down.

JEFFRIES IS TRAINING HARD

PARIS, September 30.—James J. Jeffries, the American heavyweight fighter, is doing his work at Jim Pratt's quarters, at Neuilly on the Seine, a suburb of Paris, preparatory to his meeting with Jack Johnson, the colored champion, Jeffries's training, which began soon after he returned from Marlborough, has been interrupted by a cold contracted while traveling, and the pace and the two days the pugilist was confined to his room. His wife, however, says that his illness was not serious, and that he will take up his training again in a day or two.

Jim Pratt, who has followed the fighters for years, considers Jeffries in the pink of condition and ready to enter the ring with Johnson. "Jeffries is as quick as lightning," he said to-day. "The treatment which he underwent at Marlborough has reduced his superfluous fat, and his waist line has fallen away practically to normal. His weight is about 225 pounds. All that Jeff needs now is to get his training, which was confined largely to punching the bag and skipping the rope, has been interrupted."

No definite arrangements have yet been made for a fight with Johnson, although Hugh McIntosh, the Australian fight promoter, has offered \$50,000 for a contest between these two heavyweights in Paris. The offer has been declined by several music hall managers to give sparing exhibitions. Jeffries says that he has been working hard both at Carlsbad and here, and that he is now in the best of his life. He added, however, that nothing has been definitely decided.

Officials, who still call himself the world's champion, expressed himself as disappointed at the meagre offer of \$50,000 for a fight. He said that he had everything to lose and nothing to gain, therefore, he would not fight for a purse of less than \$150,000.



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TOURNAMENT LIST CLOSES TO-MORROW

Rules for Tilting Contest on Closing Day of Virginia State Fair.

The entry list for the knights' tournament to be held on the closing day of the Virginia State Fair, Saturday, October 9, will close Saturday evening at 6 o'clock. The extension of time in allowing entries was determined yesterday, to give out-of-town horsemen ample time to make their entrance applications, and already there is assurance that there will be a large list of contestants. The tournament will be held on Saturday, October 9, promptly at 2 o'clock.

Each knight entering the tournament will be required to appear in the parade mounted, both before and after the tournament, and not more than two men will be allowed to ride the same horse in the tournament. The following rules were announced yesterday: Distance, eighty yards; time, eight seconds. Any rider failing to make the time will be ruled out at once. Lance, seven feet; height of rings, six feet nine inches; rings, one and a quarter inches; first to ring, one inch; second to ring, three-quarters of an inch. Each knight will have four rides, including trial ride. Any attempt at first ring will be considered a go, and otherwise decided by the judges. Knights are required to appear in neat riding costume, dark coats, white trousers, caps, top boots or leggings. Numbers will be furnished each rider to correspond with program. Any knight failing to report at the office for his number by 2 P. M. will be ruled out. No practicing will be allowed on the grounds before the tournament. Entries will commence at 2 o'clock after 2 o'clock as possible. Entrants must state whether or not two men will ride the same horse.

C. E. Snyder, well known to the baseball world, has taken great interest in the plans for the tournament, and has personally guaranteed that all prizes will be paid at once when the winners are announced. The prizes are as follows: First, \$75; second, \$50; third, \$25; fourth, \$15; fifth, \$10. The entrance fee is \$2.50.

D. Jones, lf.	A. B. H. O. A. E.
Bush, 1b.	4 1 0 0 0
Cobb, rf.	4 2 0 0 0
Crawford, cf.	4 1 0 0 0
McCarthy, 2b.	4 1 0 0 0
Deleantzy, 3b.	5 1 1 0 0
T. Jones, 1b.	5 1 1 0 0
Schmidt, c.	4 2 4 0 0
Mullin, p.	0 0 0 1 0
Willett, p.	3 0 0 0 0
Totals	35 10 24 16 2

Boston.	A. B. H. O. A. E.
McConnell, 2b.	4 0 0 0 0
Lord, 3b.	4 0 0 0 0
Specker, cf.	3 2 1 0 0
Carrigan, 1b.	4 0 0 0 0
Niles, 2b.	4 0 0 0 0
French, ss.	4 0 0 0 0
Hooper, lf.	3 1 3 0 0
Donahue, cf.	3 1 0 0 0
Hibbs, 1b.	1 1 0 0 0
Weller, p.	1 0 0 0 0
Hall, p.	1 0 0 0 0
Totals	31 12 27 13 3

*Batted for Wood in fourth.
Score by Innings: 0 0 2 3 0 0 0 0 0 0 0 0 0
Philadelphia 0 0 2 3 0 0 0 0 0 0 0 0 0
Boston 0 0 0 0 0 0 0 0 0 0 0 0 0
Summary: Runs—D. Jones, Bush (2), McCarthy, Lord, French, Hooper, Donahue, Wood. Two-base hits—Deleantzy, Donahue. Three-base hit—Wood. First base on balls—off Mullin, 1; off Willett, 1. First base on errors—Boston, 2; Detroit, 2. Struck out—by Mullin, 1; by Wood, 4. Passed ball—Donahue. Wild pitches—Wood, 1. Time, 3:00. Umpires, Connolly and Dineen.

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Day in the Big Leagues

NATIONAL LEAGUE

Yesterday's Results.

First game: Pittsburgh, 2; New York, 6.
Second game: Pittsburgh, 6; New York, 1.
Third game: Brooklyn, No game.
Chicago-Philadelphia: No game.
St. Louis: Boston, 4; St. Louis, 2.

Standing of the Clubs.

Clubs	Won	Lost	P. C.	Last year.
Pittsburgh	107	40	.725	.693
Chicago	99	47	.678	.681
New York	88	57	.610	.637
Cleveland	76	69	.523	.460
Philadelphia	70	76	.479	.534
St. Louis	61	84	.422	.327
Brooklyn	51	84	.382	.333
Boston	41	104	.288	.426

Where They Play To-Day.

St. Louis at Cincinnati.

CATCHER BREAKS RECORD

PITTSBURGH, September 30.—Pittsburgh and New York divided a double-header to-day, the visitors taking the first game by a score of 6 to 2 and the home team winning the second by a score of 9 to 1. Klawitter was strong in the first contest, and Frock, a recruit held New York at all times in the second game. Frock, by catching in both games to-day, broke the world's record for consecutive number of games caught in a season, he having participated in 132 consecutive games.

Abel, by catching in 132 consecutive games of the Cleveland Americans, claiming to have caught 132 consecutive games.

FIRST GAME.

Pittsburgh	A. B. H. O. A. E.
Byrne, 3b.	3 1 1 0 0
Leach, cf.	4 2 0 1 0
Clarke, 1b.	3 0 0 0 0
Abbas, ss.	4 1 0 0 0
Muller, 2b.	3 0 2 0 0
O'Winn, rf.	3 1 0 0 0
Gibson, c.	3 1 0 0 0
Abel, p.	4 1 0 0 0
Willa, p.	2 0 0 0 0
Leaver, p.	1 0 0 0 0
Hyatt, p.	1 0 0 0 0
Totals	30 5 16 0

*Batted for Leaver in ninth.

Score by Innings: 0 0 0 0 0 0 0 0 0 0 0 0 0

Summary: Runs—Byrne, Leach, Doyle (2).

Two-base hits—Leach, Doyle, A. Wilson. Three-base hit—McCormick. Hit-off Willis, 8 in 4 innings; off Leaver, 2 in 1 inning. Sacrifice hits—Miller, Stolen base—Murray. Double play—Miller to Abbatichio to Abstein. Left on bases—Pittsburgh, 3; New York, 3. First base on balls—off Klawitter, 5; Struck out—By Willis, 2; by Leaver, 2; Time, 1:35. Umpires, Emille and Johnston.

SECOND GAME.

Pittsburgh	A. B. H. O. A. E.
Byrne, 3b.	3 0 0 0 0
Leach, cf.	5 2 0 0 0
Clarke, 1b.	4 2 0 0 0
Abbas, ss.	3 1 0 0 0
Muller, 2b.	3 1 0 0 0
O'Winn, rf.	4 0 0 0 0
Gibson, c.	3 1 0 0 0
Abel, p.	4 1 0 0 0
Willa, p.	2 0 0 0 0
Leaver, p.	1 0 0 0 0
Hyatt, p.	1 0 0 0 0
Totals	34 13 27 10

*Batted for Wilson in ninth.

Score by Innings: 0 0 0 0 0 0 0 0 0 0 0 0 0

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RECORD MADE IN LYNCHBURG RACE

Heat in 2:15 Class Made in 2:13 1-2—Jockey Fined and Removed from Race.

HORSE SHOW CLASSES

Events of Third Day Witnessed By Thousands of People.

(Special to The Times-Dispatch.)
LYNCHBURG, Va., September 30.—The races at the third day of the Interstate Fair to-day were made additionally interesting because of the charge in one race that Driver Padgett was not driving his horse, Dan P., up to his speed, and he was removed by the judges and fined \$25. The races were fast, this being particularly true of the 2:15 class, in which the track record was lowered. My Shady Belle, a Winston-Salem, N. C. horse, in the third heat won in 2:13 1-2, and in the fourth in 2:13 1-2. The record was made by St. Louis, who paced second in this event at the fair two years ago. Twenty thousand people attended the fair to-day. Summaries:

First race—2:15 class, pacing, purse \$300—My Shady Belle, b. m. (Reeves), 4 to 1, 1:30; St. Louis, b. h. (Padgett), 1 to 1, 1:30; Skidoo, b. m. (Atkinson), 2 to 1, 1:30; Alto Clarke, ch. g. (Jamison), 3 to 1, 1:30; Time, 1:25 1-2, 1:14 1-2, 1:13 1-2, 2:15.

Second race—2:27 class, trot, purse \$300—Astro Bell, b. s. (Cannon), 1 to 1, 1:30; Alto Clarke, ch. g. (Jamison), 2 to 1, 1:30; Edge Hill Pirate, b. s. (Jamison), 3 to 1, 1:30; School Boy, b. g. (Fuller), 4 to 1, 1:30; Colonel D. ch. g. (Harden), 5 to 1, 1:30; Time, 2:23 1-2, 2:14 1-2, 2:13 1-2, 2:15.

Third race—free for all, purse \$300—Manuela, b. m. (Corbin), 1 to 1, 1:10; Dry Dock, b. h. (Armstrong), 1 to 1, 1:10; Dan P. b. g. (Padgett, Cannon), 2 to 1, 1:10; King James, b. h. (Jamison), 4 to 1, 1:10; Time, 2:18 1-2, 2:14 1-2, 2:13 1-2, 2:15.

Fourth race—running stake, one mile and a sixteenth, stake \$400—Jolly, first; Spring Frog, second; Lady Rip, third. Time, 1:50.

Fifth race—running, six and one-half miles.

NEW CHARTERS ISSUED

Charters were granted yesterday by the State Corporation Commission as follows:

Ace Manufacturing Company, Inc., Manchester, N. H., to F. Ryland, secretary and treasurer, Manchester, Va.; A. K. Kralz, general manager, Richmond, Va.; minimum, \$1,000. Objects—Manufacture and sell stationery supplies and paper specialties.

The Leitch Real Estate Company, Inc., Norfolk, Va., to Jacob Leitch, president, Ashland, Ky.; W. H. Dawkins, Ashland, Ky.; H. C. Sherritt, secretary, Norfolk, Va.; minimum, \$25,000. Objects—Real estate business.

An amendment was issued to the charter of the Bell Shoe Company, Inc., of Suffolk, Va., changing the name of the Bell, Enson Shoe Company, Inc.

ARREST WASHINGTON MAN ON CHARGE OF STEALING

Cornelius Parham, colored, alleged to have fled from justice from Washington city, who was arrested here yesterday, at the request of Chief of Police Sweeney, was turned over to Detective Sergeant Lawrence A. O'Dea last night and carried back to Washington.

Parham was charged with the theft of \$48. When caught in Jackson Ward yesterday he had \$23.50. He was perfectly willing to return to Washington, declaring that he was innocent, and that he would prove it.

Invited to Buenos Ayres.

On the part of the Chamber of Commerce hangs a newly acquired poster of great size, announcing the International Exposition of Railroads and Transportation Facilities to be held by the Argentine Republic from May until November, 1910. The place of the exposition will be Buenos Ayres. This also celebrates the centenary of the existence of the Argentine Republic.

Marriage Licenses.

Marriage licenses were issued in the Henricus Court yesterday as follows: Pollock, Weobuck and Pawlina Korozova, both born in Russia.

Assunta Delipoli and Salvatore Rao, the girl is only thirteen years old, without parents or guardian. A special permit had to be issued by Judge Whit.

Hit Him With Brick.

Moses Jackson was arrested last night, charged with assaulting James Lewis with a brick. He will be tried before Justice Crutchfield this morning.

AMERICAN LEAGUE

Yesterday's Results.

First game: Philadelphia, 3; Chicago, 8.
Second game: Philadelphia, 4; Chicago, 6.
New York, 4; St. Louis, 4. (Called end of ninth, darkness.)

Standing of the Clubs.

Clubs	Won	Lost	P. C.	Last year.
Detroit	87	57	.604	.583
Philadelphia	93	57	.620	.448
Boston	86	62	.581	.470
Chicago	75	73	.513	.473
New York	71	76	.488	.331
Cleveland	70	80	.467	.584
St. Louis	61	84	.422	.358
Washington	41	108	.276	.427

Where They Play To-Day.